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In re Application of: George Tyson Tuttle et al.

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For: DIGITAL ACCESS ARRANGEMENT CIRCUITRY AND METHOD HAVING
CURRENT RAMPING CONTROL OF THE HOOKSWITCH

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are:

- New Patent Application
- Response to Missing Parts, Part 2 Copy
- Assignment and Recordation Cover sheet
- Inventors' Declaration/Power of Attorney
- Information Disclosure Statement and Attachments
- Petition for a _____ month extension of time
- Response to Office Action
- Formal Drawings

- Informal Drawings
- Certificate of Correction
- A Notice of Appeal
- An Appeal Brief (an original and two copies)
- Check in the amount of \$755.00
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- Other: Small Entity Statement

FEE CALCULATION:

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(e))	<u>37</u> - 20 =	17	x \$ 18.00	\$ 306.00
	Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	<u>6</u> - 3 =	3	x \$ 78.00	\$ 234.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			x \$ 260.00	\$
				Basic Fee (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 760.00
			Total of above Calculations =		\$ 1300.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Note: 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)				\$ 650.00
	Surcharge for submission of Response to Missing Parts if applicable (\$130)				\$ 65.00
	ASSIGNMENT FEE (IF FILED WITH APPLICATION) \$40				\$ 40.00
				TOTAL =	\$ 755.00

Should any fees be deficient under 37 CFR 1.16 to 1.21 for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from Deposit Account No. 10-1205/SILA:045. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 512-347-1611 with any questions or comments, or to otherwise facilitate expeditious prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION*Filing Date Granted*

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a
 small entity (statement filed) non-small entity is \$ 1430.00.

1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

missing.
 insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ 760.00 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$ 306 for 17 total claims over 20.

\$ 234 for 3 independent claims over 3.

\$ _____ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

3. The oath or declaration:

is missing or unsigned.
 does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

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7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

9. OTHER: _____

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

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